PATENT APPLICATION

N THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Hiroki YOSHIKAWA et al.

Group Art Unit: 1756

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Examiner:

S. ROSASCO

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For:

METHOD OF PRODUCING PHASE SHIFT MASK BLANK, METHOD OF

PRODUCING PHASE SHIFT MASK, PHASE SHIFT MASK BLANK, AND PHASE

SHIFT MASK

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the December 6, 2006 Office Action, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.